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6,489,224	METHOD FOR ENGINEERING THE THRESHOLD VOLTAGE OF A DEVICE USING BURIED WELLS	12/03/02
6,218,708	BACK-BIASED MOS DEVICE AND METHOD	04/17/01
6,087,892	TARGET ION/OFF THRESHOLD TUNING CIRCUIT AND METHOD	07/11/00
6,303,444	METHOD FOR INTRODUCING AN EQUIVALENT RC CIRCUIT IN A MOS DEVICE USING RESISTIVE WELLS	10/16/01
6,048,746	METHOD FOR MAKING DIE-COMPENSATED THRESHOLD TUNING CIRCUIT	04/11/00
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